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## PETITION FOR A TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O.Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

In accordance with the provision of 37 CFR § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a two-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the office action mailed December 22, 2005, said period of response being extended from March 22, 2006 to May 22, 2006. Since a one-month extension of time was requested with our first response on April 21, 2006, it is our understanding that only the difference between the one-month extension fee and the two-month extension fee is due, which calculates to \$165.00.

Our check in the amount of \$165.00 is enclosed to cover the required extension fee. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to deposit Account No. 13-4213.

Respectfully Submitted

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